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AND METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING AND  
IMPROVING SLURRY  
CONTAINING SAME  
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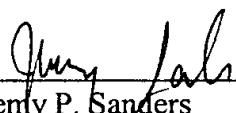
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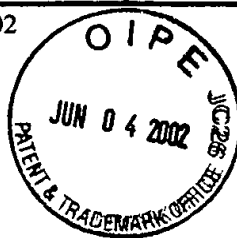


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